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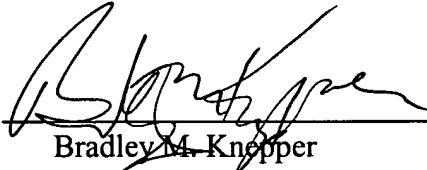
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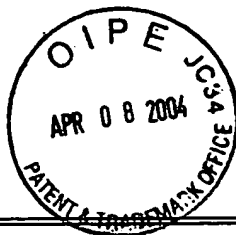
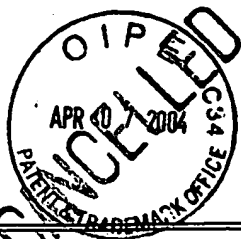
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	AB	4,488,245	12-11-84	Dalke et al.	364	498	
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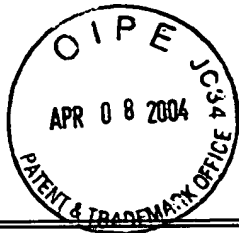
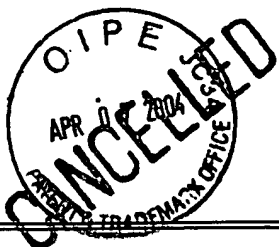
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BL	PerfectPhoto User's Guide from IBM PerfectPhoto Image Editor, Version 1.0, 1998
BM	Digital ROC – Software Plug-in User Guide from Applied Science Fiction, Inc. 2002 (PN 104290 Rev 1)
BN	Digital SHO – Software Plug-in User Guide from Applied Science Fiction, Inc. 2002 (PN 104292 Rev 1)

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